

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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JUAN FELICIANO ANSIETO,

Plaintiff,

-against-

HAK S. MEIER and AQIDAS TRADING,
INC. d/b/a Q MARQET,

Defendant.
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1:20-cv-7991 (ALC)(SDA)

ORDER

ANDREW L. CARTER, JR., United States District Judge:

The Court is in receipt of the parties' letter motion for settlement approval filed July 15, 2022. (ECF No. 63.)

Having reviewed the settlement agreement as required by *Cheeks v. Freeport Pancake House, Inc.*, 796 F.3d 199 (2d Cir. 2015), the Court finds it to be fair and reasonable, and approves the settlement. In reaching this conclusion, the Court has considered, *inter alia*, that (1) the settlement amount provides Plaintiff with a recovery that is fair in light of the identified litigation risks, and is within the possible range of recovery; (2) the attorney's fees portion of the settlement is reasonable; and (3) the agreement does not impose a duty of confidentiality. *See Fisher v. SD Prot. Inc.*, 948 F.3d 593, 600 (2d Cir. 2020); *see also Brittle v. Metamorphosis, LLC*, No. 20 CIV. 3880 (ER), 2021 WL 606244, at *2 (S.D.N.Y. Jan. 22, 2021).

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the above-captioned case be dismissed with prejudice in its entirety without fees or costs except as agreed to by the parties.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 12, 2022
New York, New York

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andrew L. Carter, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

ANDREW L. CARTER, JR.
United States District Judge